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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Dear Sir:

Applicant(s) respectfully petition(s) for a two-month extension of time within which to respond to the April 28, 2004 outstanding Office Action, such extension allowing the undersigned until September 28, 2004 to respond. A check is enclosed that includes the amount of \$420.00, as set forth in the enclosed transmittal letter.

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Respectfully submitted,

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